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Dear Sir / Madam

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The enclosed document is to be furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on behalf of Centrica plc (the "Company") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act 1934 (the "Act") afforded by Rule 12g 3-2 (b) thereunder.

This information is being furnished under paragraph (1) of Rule 12g 3-2 (b) with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed to be "filed" with the SEC or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Act and that neither this letter nor the furnishing of such information and documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Act.

Yours faithfully

Derek Woodward  
HEAD OF SECRETARIAT

For and on behalf of  
Centrica plc

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Purchase of ordinary shares of 6  $\frac{14}{81}$  pence in Centrica plc ("Shares" and the "Company", respectively) by Directors of the Company and Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibility (PDMRs) under its Share Incentive Plan ("SIP").

The SIP trustee, Equiniti Share Plan Trustees Limited (the "Trustee"), notified the Company on 20 March 2008 that:

(1) The following Directors and other Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibility for the Company acquired Shares under the SIP on 19 March 2008 held through the Trustee:

	Number of Shares Acquired*	Aggregate Shares held Beneficially (across all accounts following acquisition)
Directors		
Phil Bentley	62	623,893
Sam Laidlaw	61	342,139
Nick Luff	62	200,431
Jake Ulrich	62	861,404
Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibility		
Grant Dawson	62	278,135
Catherine May	62	6,373
Anne Minto	62	195,873
Chris Weston	62	134,123

\* The 'Number of Shares Acquired' includes 42 Partnership shares (41 Partnership shares for Sam Laidlaw with a lower residual balance) acquired at 303.00 pence per share and 20 Matching shares acquired at 303.92 pence per share. Both Partnership and Matching elements are registered in the name of the Trustee.

(2) They had transferred 11,000 ordinary shares of 6  $\frac{14}{81}$  pence each from Lloyds TSB Registrars Corporate Nominee Limited AESOP1 (Allocated shares) to Lloyds TSB Registrars Corporate Nominee Limited AESOP2 (Unallocated shares). The transfer was made following the forfeiture of shares, under the rules of the SIP, by participants who have left the group since the last purchase and the shares had been used towards March's allocation of Matching shares. The Directors and PDMRs listed above, together with some 5,182 other employees, are participants in the SIP and are potentially interested in the remaining 833 shares held by Lloyds TSB Registrars Corporate Nominee Limited AESOP2 left following the purchase.

The SIP operates as follows

- Each month the Trustee uses participants' contributions (which may not exceed £125 per participant per month) to purchase shares in the market. These shares are called '**Partnership Shares**'.
- At the same time the Company allots to participants via the Trustee one '**Matching Share**' for every two partnership shares purchased that month (up to a maximum of 20 matching shares per month).
- Participants may change their monthly savings rate whenever they wish. However, Directors and others bound by the Company's Securities Dealing Code (the "**Code**") may not make such a change during a close period or when otherwise prohibited from dealing by the Code.

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